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RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed May 29, 2008, Applicants
respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on
page 2 of this communication.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this communication.